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SUBJECT: NON-PROLIFERATION LEGISLATION

1. THE US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ACCEPTED THE SENATE
VERSION OF NON-PROLIFERATION LEGISLATION BY UNANIMOUS
CONSENT ON FEBRUARY 9.

2. THE HOUSE HAD ADOPTED ITS VERSION OF THIS LEGISLATION ON
SEPTEMBER 28, 1977, BY 411-O, AND THE SENATE PASSED A
DIFFERENT, SUBSTITUTE VERSION ON FEBRUARY 7, 1978. WHILE
BOTH BILLS CONTAINED MANY SIMILAR FEATURES, DEPT HAD EXPECTED
CONGRESS TO ESTABLISH A CONFERENCE COMMITTEE TO WORK OUT THE
DIFFERENCES. HOWEVER, THE HOUSE HAS NOW ACCEPTED THE SENATE
VERSION.

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3. WE CURRENTLY ANTICIPATE THAT THE ENROLLED BILL WILL REACH
THE WHITE HOUSE ON FEBRUARY 13 OR 14. UNDER THE CONSTITUTION
THE PRESIDENT HAS 10 DAYS (SUNDAYS -XCEPTED) AFTER HE
RECEIVES THE BILL TO SIGN IT INTO LAW.

4. A SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS OF THE BILL WILL FOLLOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

5. FOR EC CAPITALS: THE BILL NOW INCLUDES A 30-DAY GRACE

PERIOD BEFORE REQUIREMENT THAT EURATOM AGREE TO INITIATE NEGOTIATIONS COMES INTO EFFECT. FOR OTHER CAPITALS: WHILE THE BILL REQUIRES THAT WE SEEK RENEGOTIATION OF EXISTING NUCLEAR COOPERATION AGREEMENTS AND THAT NO EXPORTS AFTER TWO YEARS AFTER ENACTMENT GO TO NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES THAT DO NOT AT THE TIME OF EXPORT HAVE ALL THEIR PEACEFUL

NUCLEAR ACTIVITIES UNDER IAEA SAFEGUARDS, IT SHOULD NOT HAVE ANY IMMEDIATE EFFECT ON UNITED STATES ABILITY TO CONTINUE EXPORTS UNDER CURRENT U.S. CIVIL NUCLEAR COOPERATION AGREEMENTS. VANCE

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